



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. **020431.0776**

In re Application of:

SANJAY KUMAR ET AL.

Serial No. **09/972,127**

Filed: **4 OCTOBER 2001**

For: **COLLABORATIVE FULFILLMENT
IN A DISTRIBUTED SUPPLY CHAIN
ENVIRONMENT**

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Examiner: **GERALD J. O'CONNOR**

Art Unit: **3627**

Confirmation No.: **3685**

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Commissioner for Patents


P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Please file the following enclosed documents in the subject application:

1. This Transmittal with Certificate of Mailing;
2. Amendment in response to Office Action dated 22 December 2005;
3. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (PTO/SB/30); and
4. Our return postcard which we would appreciate you date stamping and returning to us.


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